

CALLER IS HELD IN JEWEL THEFT

Man Said to Have Stolen Rings While Paying Afternoon Visit

IS MET BY PATROLMAN

Charles Higby, twenty-four years old, of Angora terrace near Fifty-eighth street, was held in \$1500 bail today by Magistrate Oswald, at the nineteenth and Oxford streets station, charged with the theft yesterday of four rings valued at \$500 from the home of Miss Cora Oliver, at 1407 North Eighth street.

It was testified at the hearing that Higby called Miss Oliver on the telephone yesterday and said he would like to call at her home.

As she had been introduced to him by mutual friends at a church social, she said, she invited him to call yesterday afternoon. During the visit he noticed three diamond rings and a ruby ring on a desk in the drawing room.

"Are these rings any good?" she asked.

"Yes, they're all right," Miss Oliver told him.

A few minutes later Higby said he had to go to a drug store and that he would return in a few minutes. After he had gone Miss Oliver discovered the rings were missing.

She went to the nineteenth and Oxford streets station and told Patrolman Duran of the disappearance of the rings. Last night she received another telephone call from Higby. She pretended she had not discovered the rings were gone, and invited him to come to see her last night.

When Higby arrived at Miss Oliver's home last night the patrolman met him at the door.

Higby denied at first that he had taken the rings, but later is said to have admitted the theft. He is said to have told the patrolman he pawned them for \$100 at an establishment on Sanson street near Eighth.

Miss Oliver declares she will not press charges against Higby if her rings are recovered. He is said to have given \$100 and the pawn ticket to the patrolman for the recovery of the rings.

UNIVERSITY "ACTORS" WILL GET TRYOUT

Embryo Thespians to Show Their Points for Preliminary Mask and Wig Show

This is the "open season" for actors at the University of Pennsylvania. Those male students—here is a field still barred to co-eds—who aspire to the "Stock and Buskin" and the grease paint, or who believe that they can shake a wicked leg in the chorus, get an opportunity to prove their point this evening when the Max and Wig Club holds its first rehearsal for its preliminary show.

This preliminary show, which will be pulled off some time before the Christmas holidays, will give Coach Charley Morgan and the other club officials a real line on the quality of their talent for the spring show which sets them all wild at a downtown theatre and all that sort of thing.

Morgan will be there tonight, as will Charles Gilpin, the author of the famous lyrics of recent Mask and Wig shows. Every candidate that shows up at the clubhouse, at 310 Quince street, will be expected to recite a piece, or do a bit of song and dance. The choice of material is entirely in their hands; nothing is barred.

"I know some one will recite 'Gunga Din,'" remarked Coach Morgan, "but I'll come anyway."

Which shows that he is a good sport and a glutton for punishment. The try-outs tonight will be mainly for parts in the regular cast, and the choristers will get their chance on another occasion.

No announcement has been made yet as to the winner of the prize competition which started last spring for undergraduates in the writing of the "book" for the big show next spring. The prize script will probably be made known before the new year.

Seek Improvement for South 7th St.

Declaring they have received no public improvements of any moment in many years, a delegation of business men representing the South Seventh Street Business Men's Association called on Mayor Moore yesterday. Assurances were given them by the Mayor that he would give consideration to their requests for better lighting and improved paving. The delegation was headed by George W. Haney, of the Public Bank and Trust Co.

JAY RIAL, CIRCUS PRESS AGENT, DIES

Dean of "Big Top" Publicity Directors Dead of Pneumonia in Winston Salem

DAUGHTER AT DEATHBED

Jay Rial, for twenty years press agent of the Barnum & Bailey circus, died yesterday of pneumonia at a hotel in Winston-Salem, N. C. He had been ill but a few days. He was sixty-eight years old.

Jay Rial was one of the most unique figures in the circus world. He was at home in any city from Canada to the Gulf and from coast to coast, and was the recognized diplomat of the tanbark ring. His portfolio was a store of circus pictures and press notices, rich in dazzling adjectives, and an apparently unlimited supply of complimentary tickets to the "big top."

Mr. Rial was familiar with industrial conditions in every section of the country. He knew officials in every city, and could tell offhand how much Altoona, Pa., or Peoria, Ill., charged for parade privileges.

Jay Rial believed circus folks were just as good in every respect as other people, and he kept hammering away at that idea in almost every advance notice he ever wrote. He had a personality that made itself felt the minute he entered a newspaper office.

Before he went out ahead of the Barnum show, twenty years ago, Mr. Rial had engaged in theatrical enterprises. One of his first big ventures was a road production of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," which scored a big success.

He tried gold mining in South Africa, and was in Australia with a theatrical production when the bubonic plague forced him to return to America. He managed several Chicago theatres.

NEW TRAFFIC RULE WORKS

Cars and Automobiles on Filbert Street Regulated

Patrolmen stationed along Filbert street to enforce a new traffic regulation which requires trolley cars to stop two car lengths east of Broad street on the north side of City Hall to receive and discharge passengers.

Automobiles which heretofore passed between the car tracks and Filbert street must now keep on the left side of the cars.

RICHARDSON A FILM CENSOR

Former County Commissioner Appointed to Dr. Oberholzer's Place

Henry Starr Richardson, a former county commissioner, has been named a member of the board of motion picture censors. The appointment was announced by Governor Sproul.

Mr. Richardson succeeds Dr. E. P. Oberholzer, who has been assigned to a specially created post of director under the board. Dr. Oberholzer will have general charge of the examination of films.

Governor Sproul stated that Mr. Richardson is entirely in sympathy with the high film standards which have been in effect in this state.

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"Whispering," "Avalon," "Japanese Sandman" and "My Rose of Yesterday" are the four songs probably having the largest sale in this country.

The Pacific Coast publishers of "Whispering" have refused \$80,000 for this little song, and it will probably be printed East and West, in order to supply the demand.

Al Jolson has made "Avalon" famous, and "Till We Meet Again" is another tremendous hit in the "Japanese Sandman." "Rose of Yesterday" was this season's greatest hit at Atlantic City, and is now selling throughout the country.

Important News for MEN

The Men's Clothing Store has been presenting a succession of exceptional values, but we are now preparing for the GREATEST SALE OF CLOTHING in our history—

Beginning Friday At Eight o'Clock A. M.

Those who wish to buy to-morrow (Thursday) may choose from the special lots already reduced without disadvantage; but in fairness to all, we advise WAITING UNTIL FRIDAY, when the great Sale starts—

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